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Our Lady of Lourdes Site:

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Telephone: 905-383-3381

Parish Office Hours

◆ **Mon-Fri 9:00am 12:00noon** ◆ **or by appointment**

SUNDAY MASS:

Sat. 5:00pm

Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am

WEEKDAY MASS:

Thurs. 7:00pm

Wed. & Fri., 8:30am

RECONCILIATION:

Sat. 3:30-4:30pm (or by appointment)

Corpus Christi Site:

1694 Upper James St., Hamilton, ON ◆ L9B 1K6

Telephone: 905-389-2472 ◆ Fax: 905-389-7525

Parish Office Hours ◆ **Appointment only**

SUNDAY MASS:

Sat. 5:00pm,

Sun. 9:00am, 11:00am

WEEKDAY MASS:

Tues. 6:30pm

Thurs. 9:00am

RECONCILIATION:

Sat. 4:00-4:30pm (or by appointment)

BAPTISMS: Please contact the office at least 2 months prior to desired date.

Becoming Catholic-RCIA:

For those not Baptized, or who have not yet completed their initiation, please call the office or speak to one of the priests.

MARRIAGE: Couples intending to marry, kindly contact the office about a year in advance.

Wedding Anniversary Blessing on the last Sunday of the month.

FUNERALS: When a family death occurs, please contact the office for assistance with arrangements.

VOCATIONS: Diocese of Hamilton www.hamiltonvocations.com

CATHOLIC CEMETERIES: www.thecatholiccemeteries.ca 905-522-7727

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN OUR PARISH:

Corpus Christi: 905-389-3940

Our Lady of Lourdes: 905-383-9233

St. John Paul II: 905-525-1300

St. Marguerite d'Youville: 905-387-4600

St. Teresa of Calcutta: 905-318-7933

St. Jean De Brebeuf Secondary: 905-388-7020

ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA


Diocese of Hamilton Prayer Calendar

Our Financial Stewardship:

The foundation of all stewardship is a generous heart.

September 24/25 \$ Totals will be posted in next week's bulletin

Mon	Rev. Bernard (Mike) Francis
Tues	Rev. Arpee Nicolas Urquico
Wed	Felician Franciscan Sisters (C.S.S.F.)
Thurs	Rev. David Avila
Fri	Rev. Tony O'Dell, O.M.I.
Sat	Rev. Kiwook Kim

<i>Mass for the</i>		<i>Intentions Week</i>
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Corpus Christi site:

Tues Oct 4	6:30pm	<i>Emmett & Isobel Kelly Mike Kelly Mandy Kelly Stan Jacobs Margaret D'Addario Italia Pongetti Special Intention of S.&M. J.</i>
Wed Oct 5		No Mass
Thurs Oct 6	9:00am	<i>Mass Cancelled</i>
Fri Oct 7		No Mass
Sat Oct 8	5:00pm	<i>Mike DiCenzo Doris Dal Bello John Calderhead</i>

Our Lady of Lourdes site:

Tues Oct 4		No Mass
Wed Oct 5	8:30am	<i>Nicola & Lisa Trombetta</i>
Thurs Oct 6	7:00pm	<i>Mark Piccolotto Gene Hannon Helen Connolly</i>
Fri Oct 7	8:30am	<i>Primo Salvucci</i>
Sat Oct 8	5:00pm	<i>Clara Marotti & deceased family members Manolo Halili Mark Piccolotto Donna Unsworth Bertie Davoren Joseph Quadros</i>

**Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time
- October 2, 2022**

"Increase our faith." Listen for the voice of God. Are you being called to be a priest, deacon or religious brother or sister? If God is calling you contact Bishop Wayne Lobsinger, Director of Vocations and Priestly Formation, Diocese of Hamilton (905-528-7988).

Email vocations@hamiltondiocese.com
www.hamiltondiocese.com/vocations/



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CWL - Fall Food Drive

Corpus Christi CWL is doing its annual Fall Food Drive the weekend of Oct. 1 & 2. Bring a non-perishable food item or a cheque made out to Neighbour to Neighbour and put it in the boxes in the Narthex.

Previously, we collected \$252.25 plus 269 lbs. of food for the CWL's annual Fall Food Drive. Can we beat that this year?

New Church Construction Update

Please visit our website for the latest video;

<https://www.catherineofsienachurch.ca>
<https://facebook.com/catherineofsienaparish/>
<https://www.catherineofsienachurch.ca/youtube-channel>

Sacraments

Parents/Guardians whose child will be receiving the sacraments of 1st Reconciliation/1st Communion or Confirmation, please be aware that Parent letters and Registration forms for the sacraments, prepared at our church office, will be sent home in the next couple of weeks from our five parish schools. Please mark your calendar with the upcoming parent/guardian meeting to register your child. Please visit our website <https://www.catherineofsienachurch.ca/sacraments> for more information.

First Reconciliation

Parents/Guardians are invited to bring their children for Confession some time before First Communion; any Saturday, from 3:30pm to 4:30pm at Our Lady of Lourdes Site or 4pm to 4:30pm at Corpus Christi Site. You can also contact us to set up a different time.

Parent Meetings First Communion

- At **Our Lady of Lourdes Site**: Wednesday, October 26 at 7pm for Our Lady of Lourdes School and St. Teresa School
 - At **Corpus Christi Site**: Thursday October 27 at 7pm for St. Marguerite D'Youville School, Corpus Christi School, St. John Paul II School
- ## Confirmation Parent Meetings:
- Wednesday October 19, 7pm for Our Lady of Lourdes and St. Teresa School at **Our Lady of Lourdes Site**
 - Thursday October 20, 7pm for Corpus Christi, St. John Paul II and St. Marguerite D'Youville Schools at **Corpus Christi Site**

Campaign Life Coalition



Proverbs 31:8 gives us courage in our convictions to "speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves, for the rights of all who are destitute." Take part in Christ's great commission! Join us at HAMILTON MOUNTAIN Upper James St at Mohawk Rd 2:30-3:30 pm on October 2, 2022 to participate in Life Chain, an annual prolife event demanding an end to the killing of the preborn in Canada. Be a voice for the voiceless! Visit Campaign Life Coalition's website – www.campaignlifecoalition.com/life-chain - for more information.

Memorial Masses of Thanksgiving

We will be hosting a Memorial Mass of Thanksgiving at each church site in our parish. This Mass will be to give thanks for all priests, deacons, lay ministers, staff and parishioners who have been part of the parish since they were founded. Our Lady of Lourdes Parish since 1958 and Corpus Christi Parish since 1962. At each Mass we will have a moment of silence to remember all who had a funeral in the parish. All previous Pastors have been invited to join us at this special Mass in each site. Three previous priests of Lourdes are now bishops and are planning to attend at Our Lady of Lourdes: Bishop Bergie, Bishop Miehm and Bishop Lobsinger. At Corpus Christi, the Bishop of our Diocese of Hamilton, Bishop Crosby will attend. Please keep the date for these Masses in your calendar.

Corpus Christi Memorial Mass of Thanksgiving:
Sunday November 6, 2022. 3pm

Our Lady of Lourdes Memorial mass of Thanksgiving: Sunday November 20, 2022. 3pm

 **St. Catherine of Siena Parish Choirs** 
O come, let us sing to the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation! ~ Ps.95

Choir Rehearsals are Resuming
Welcome Back to Singing!
An Open Invitation to All Singers at Both Sites of St. Catherine of Siena Parish

Welcome Back to Singing rehearsals are held at the Corpus Christi site and are open to singers from both sites – All Are Welcome. Vocal Tips and Best Practices for easing back into singing will be included in both sessions.

If you sing or play an instrument, there are many opportunities for you to be part of St. Catherine of Siena Music Ministry.

For a list of October rehearsal dates and further information, please contact: Sharon Fazari, Music Director
905-648-5674 or sfazari@hamiltondiocese.com

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